## CHAPTER 279

## RELEASE OF CORPORATE LIENS

S. F. 93

AN ACT relating to marginal release of corporate liens.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section five hundred fifty-eight point four (558.4). Code 1973, is repealed. 2

Approved March 7, 1973.

## CHAPTER 280

## FARM TENANCIES

#### H. F. 262

AN ACT relating to the notification of the termination of farm tenancies.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa: SECTION 1. Section five hundred sixty-two point seven (562.7),

Code 1973, is amended to read as follows: 562.7 Notice—how and when served. The written notice so re-2

3 quired shall be given as follows: 4

1. By delivery of notice in person on or before November 1 Septem-5 6 ber first\* by one party to the other with acceptance of service thereon to be signed by the person receiving the notice, or 7

2. By service on either party on or before November 1 September first\* by a person in behalf of the other party, in the same manner as 8 9

10 original notices are served, or

3. By either party sending to the other at his last known address 11 before November 1 September first,\* a notice by restricted certified 12 13 mail.

Approved April 26, 1973.

# CHAPTER 281

#### MARRIAGE DOCUMENT RETURN

S. F. 7

AN ACT relating to the return of marriage document.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- Section five hundred ninety-five point fourteen SECTION 1. 1 (595.14), Code 1973, is repealed. 2
- 1 Section five hundred ninety-five point fifteen (595.15),
- Code 1973, is amended to read as follows: 595.15 Inadequate return. If the return of a marriage is not

<sup>\*</sup>According to enrolled Act.

complete in every particular as required by the forms specified in section one hundred forty-four point twelve (144.12) of the Code, the clerk shall require the person making the same to supply the omitted

information.

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Approved February 26, 1973.

## CHAPTER 282

## UNIFIED TRIAL COURT

#### H. F. 585

AN ACT to amend the unified trial court Act by making certain corrections and changes in the procedure to be followed in cases involving small claims, nonindictable misdemeanors, and traffic violations; relating to the jurisdiction and office of judicial magistrate and district associate judge; and making necessary corrective amendments to various provisions of law to accord with the structure and intent of the unified trial court Act.

# Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

#### DIVISION I

SECTION 1. Acts of the General Assembly, Second Session of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly, chapter one thousand one hundred twenty-four (1124), section two hundred eighty-three (283), subsec-2 3 4 tion one (1), is amended by striking the subsection and inserting in 5 lieu thereof the following:

1. The provisions of sections three (3) through five (5), twelve (12) through twenty (20), and twenty-eight (28) through thirty (30), inclusive, of this Act shall take effect on July 1, 1972.

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Section six hundred two point eighteen (602.18), subsec-1 2 tions two (2), three (3), and seven (7), Code 1973, are amended to read as follows:

3 4 2. The number of judgeships to which each of the judicial districts 5 shall be entitled shall be determined from time to time according to 6 the following formula, giving equal weight to cases filed and popula-7 tion: In districts containing a city of fifty thousand or more popula-8 tion, there shall be one judgeship per five hundred fifty combined civil and criminal filings excluding small claims and misdemeaners and 9 forty thousand population, or major fraction of either; in all other 10 districts there shall be one judgeship per four hundred fifty combined 11 civil and criminal filings and forty thousand population, or major 12 fraction of either; provided, the seat of government shall be entitled to one additional judgeship. The filings included in the determina-13 14 tions to be made under this subsection shall not include small claims, 15 nonindictable misdemeanors filed after June 30, 1973, and indictable 16 misdemeanors assigned to district associate judges and judicial magistrates after June 30, 1973 as shown on their administrative reports, but they shall include appeals from decisions of judicial magistrates,

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- 20 district associate judges, and district judges sitting as judicial magistrates. The figures on filings shall be the average for the latest avail-21
- 22 able previous three-year period and when current census figures on